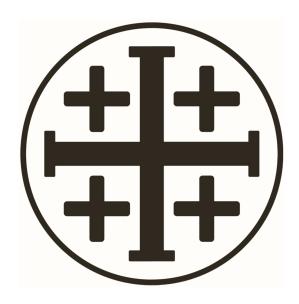
# The 18th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

Sunday, August 3, 2025



# If you are new to St. Theresa...

#### **CONNECT**

If you are new to St. Theresa or are interested in learning more about our community, please fill out a newcomer card at the Welcome Desk in the Narthex. Give completed forms to an usher or place in the collection basket. You can also fill out this form online at <a href="https://www.st-theresa.org/join">www.st-theresa.org/join</a>

#### **NURSERY**

Children are always welcome at Mass, even if they worship differently than adults. For kids that need a little more room to move or can't always keep in their songs of praise, there are pews in the Narthex where families can still worship in a more relaxed atmosphere. We also have a staffed nursery in the Family Center for children ages 6 months to 3 years during the 9:00 and 11:00 AM Sunday Masses.

#### **RESTROOMS**

Public restrooms are located at the rear of the church on the west side of the Narthex.

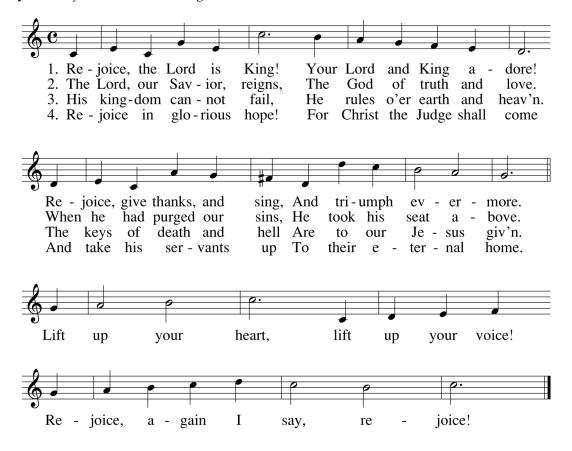
#### REQUEST PRAYER

As a community, we lift up the prayer list during Sunday Mass, in our weekly electronic newsletter, and through our daily Rosary group, which gathers after the 11:30 AM Mass. We invite you to share your prayer intentions for your loved ones at www.st-theresa.org/prayer.

## INTRODUCTORY RITES

**Processional Hymn-** Rejoice, the Lord Is King!

Please stand



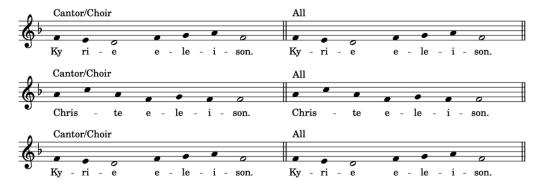
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#### Invocation

#### **Penitential Act**

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, (Strike breast 3x) through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

Lord Have Mercy – Kyrie from Laetania, Gradualia I 1605, William Byrd



Glory to God – Mass of St. Theresa



## THE LITURGY of the WORD

#### First Reading - Ecclesiastes 1:2, 2:21-23

Vanity of vanities, says Qoheleth, vanity of vanities! All things are vanity!

Here is one who has labored with wisdom and knowledge and skill, and yet to another who has not labored over it, he must leave property. This also is vanity and a great misfortune. For what profit comes to man from all the toil and anxiety of heart with which he has labored under the sun? All his days sorrow and grief are his occupation; even at night his mind is not at rest. This also is vanity.

#### **Responsorial Psalm -** *Psalm* 90: 3-6, 12-14, 17



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You turn man back to dust, saying, "Return, O children of men." For a thousand years in your sight are as yesterday, now that it is past, or as a watch of the night. **R**.

You make an end of them in their sleep; the next morning they are like the changing grass,
Which at dawn springs up anew, but by evening wilts and fades. *R*.

Teach us to number our days aright, that we may gain wisdom of heart. Return, O LORD! How long? Have pity on your servants! *R*.

Fill us at daybreak with your kindness, that we may shout for joy and gladness all our days. And may the gracious care of the LORD

our God be ours; prosper the work of our hands for us! Prosper the work of our hands! *R*.

#### Second Reading - Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11

Brothers and sisters: If you were raised with Christ, seek what is above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. Think of what is above, not of what is on earth. For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ your life appears, then you too will appear with him in glory.

Put to death, then, the parts of you that are earthly: immorality, impurity, passion, evil desire, and the greed that is idolatry. Stop lying to one another, since you have taken off the old self with its practices and have put on the new self, which is being renewed, for knowledge, in the image of its creator. Here there is not Greek and Jew, circumcision and uncircumcision, barbarian, Scythian, slave, free; but Christ is all and in all.

#### **Gospel Alleluia -** *Matthew* 5:3

Please stand



Music: Chant Mode VI; acc. by Richard Proulx

Verse: Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

#### **Gospel -** *Luke* 12:13-21

Someone in the crowd said to Jesus, "Teacher, tell my brother to share the inheritance with me." He replied to him, "Friend, who appointed me as your judge and arbitrator?" Then he said to the crowd, "Take care to guard against all greed, for though one may be rich, one's life does not consist of possessions."

Then he told them a parable. "There was a rich man whose land produced a bountiful harvest. He asked himself, 'What shall I do, for I do not have space to store my harvest?' And he said, 'This is what I shall do: I shall tear down my barns and build larger ones. There I shall store all my grain and other goods and I shall say to myself, "Now as for you, you have so many good things stored up for many years, rest, eat, drink, be merry!"' But God said to him, 'You fool, this night your life will be demanded of you; and the things you have prepared, to whom will they belong?' Thus will it be for all who store up treasure for themselves but are not rich in what matters to God."

Homily Please sit

Nicene Creed Please stand

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages.

God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven,

(All bow for the following words)

and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,

he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son
is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

## Prayer of the Faithful

Announcements Please sit



# THE LITURGY of the EUCHARIST

**Offertory Anthem** Set Your Heart on the Higher Gifts, Steve Warner (Sat, 5 PM and Sun, 9 AM)

Consider, Roland E. Martin (Sun, 11 AM)

Invitation to Prayer Please stand

*Priest:* Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable

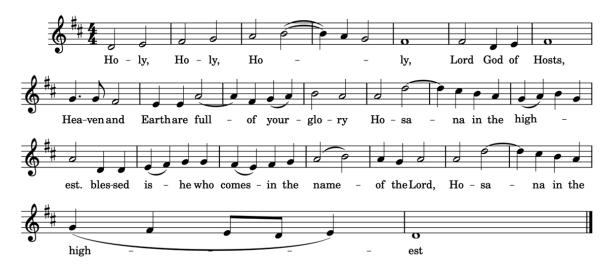
to God, the almighty Father.

Assembly: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory

of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

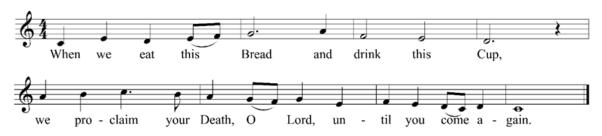
**Prayer over the Offerings** 

Holy, Holy - Healey Willan/Covington



Please kneel or be seated

**Mystery of Faith** — Mass of St Theresa



Great Amen - chant

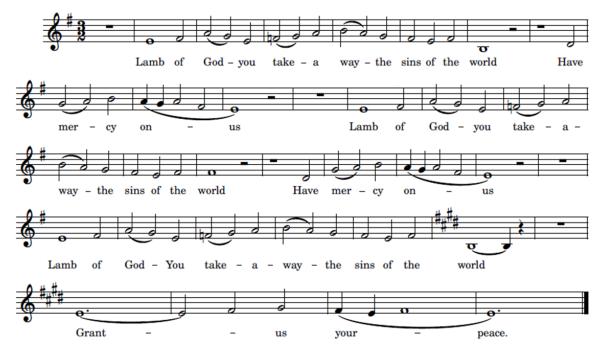
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# THE COMMUNION RITE

Lord's Prayer Sign of Peace

#### **Lamb of God** – Healey Willan/Covington



Please kneel or be seated

## Communion Antiphon - St. Meinrad Communion Antiphon, Columba Kelly, OSB



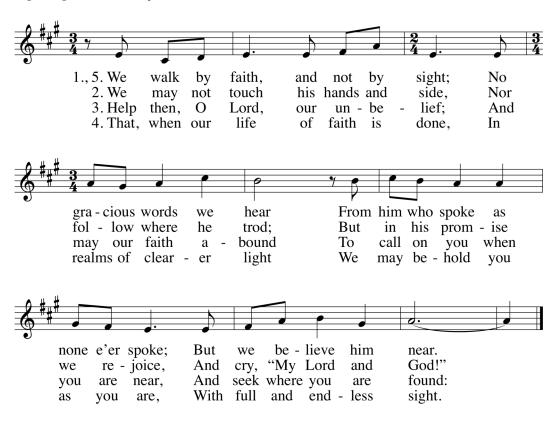
### **Communion Hymn** – *Seek Ye First* (Sat, 5 PM and Sun, 9 AM)



Please stand

## THE CONCLUDING RITES

**Hymn of Thanksgiving -** We Walk by Faith



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#### **Blessing and Dismissal**

Organ Postlude - Processional, Martin Shaw

